

City of Minneapolis
Request for Committee Action

To: Ways & Means
Date: 8/15/2016
Referral: N/A
From: Regulatory Services
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File Type: Resolution
Subcategory: Donation/Gift Acceptance

Subject:

Gift acceptance from the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (ASPCA) of equipment and supplies

Description:

Passage of Resolution accepting a gift of training (estimated value \$5,000) and equipment and supplies (contracted rate value up to \$80,000) from ASPCA for Minneapolis Animal Care & Control (MACC).

Previous Actions:

Not Applicable

Ward/Address:

Not Applicable

Background/Analysis:

In order to address basic medical needs in-house and, ultimately, to increase the adoptability of animals in shelter, MACC needs clinic equipment and supplies. ASPCA is has offered to purchase equipment and supplies which, at our currently negotiated rates, are estimated to cost MACC \$80,000.

Presently, MACC is paying an outside agency to perform surgeries on juvenile animals which, if they had the training, could be done in-house. ASPCA has offered to fund this training for clinic staff. The estimated value of this training is \$5,000.

Financial Review:

No financial impact.

Attachments:

1. Gift Acceptance Resolution